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In re
 Application of: Cheng, et al
 Serial No. 10/511,241
 Filed: September 30, 2002
 For: Method Of Removing Dimethyl
 Ether From An Olefin Stream

§ Examiner: Unassigned
 § Group Art Unit No. Unassigned
 § Attorney Docket No. 2001B126B
 § Baytown, Texas
 § Customer No. 23455

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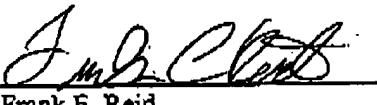
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Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorney of record, hereby inquire as to the current status of the above referenced application. We have not yet received an Official Filing Receipt on the foregoing case. If for some reason an Official Filing Receipt has been sent but not received by us please let us know. Otherwise, we await your correspondence in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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